Daily Digest

Senate

Chamber Action

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Measures Reported: Reports were made as follows: H.R. 3090, to amend the Alaska Native Claims Settlement Act to restore certain lands to the Elim Native Corporation. (S. Rept. No. 106–258)

S. 1993, to reform Government information security by strengthening information security practices throughout the Federal Government, with an amendment in the nature of a substitute. (S. Rept. No. 106–259)

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Congressional Budget Resolution—Conferees: The Chair appointed the following conferees on the part of the Senate to H. Con. Res. 290, Congressional Budget Resolution: Senators Domenici, Grassley, Bond, Gorton, Lautenberg, Conrad, and Wyden.

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Gas Tax Repeal—Agreement: A unanimous-consent agreement was reached providing for the filing of second degree amendments to S. 2285, instituting a Federal fuels tax holiday, on Tuesday, April 11, 2000.

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Adjournment: Senate convened at 12 noon, and adjourned at 3:50 p.m., until 10:00 a.m., on Tuesday, April 11, 2000. (For Senate's program, see the remarks of the Acting Majority Leader in today's Record on page \$2481.)

Committee Meetings

(Committees not listed did not meet)

FUNERAL AND BURIAL CONSUMER PROTECTION

Special Committee on Aging: Committee held hearings examine issues facing consumers preplanning, arranging and conducting funeral and burial activities, focusing on educating consumers about funeral-related industries, exposing bad practices, and exploring the extent of consumer satisfaction, receiving testimony from Toni Moore, Paradise Memorial Park Cemetery Memorial Fund, Santa Fe Springs, California; Cheryl L. Lankford, Lankford Funeral Home, DeLand, Florida; Father Henry Wasielewski, Catholic Diocese of Phoenix, Tempe, Arizona, on behalf of the Interfaith Funeral Information Committee; Lamar Hankins, FAMSA-Funeral Consumers Alliance, Inc., San Marcos, Texas; Robert Shreve, American Association of Retired Persons, Washington, DC; Danell D. Pepson, Leesburg, Virginia; Darryl J. Roberts, Scottsdale, Arizona; and Irwin Karp, an incarcerated witness, via video teleconferencing.

Hearings continue tomorrow.

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Bills Introduced: 7 public bills, H.R. 4220–4226; and 4 resolutions, H.J. Res. 95–97 and H. Res. 467, were introduced. **Page H2012**

Reports Filed: Reports were filed today as follows:

H.R. 852, to require the Department of Agriculture to establish an electronic filing and retrieval system to enable the public to file all required paperwork electronically with the Department and to have access to public information on farm programs, quarterly trade, economic, and production reports,